CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE January 19, 1969

Full Name JAMES E. KALASKY
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 3724 X Street

City Omaha State Nebraska

Age 27 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate Age ______ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Roman Catholic Nationality Polish - Lithuanian

Occupation Truck Driver

Education High School

Weight 175 Color Caucasian Height 6' 1"

Color of hair Dark Brown Color of eyes Blue

Outstanding characteristics or interests Working with boys.

Married or single Single Children none
(number, ages, and names , if possible)

Wife's name Not married.

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

Unit #	City	State	Office	Date Reg'd.	Date resigned
Trp. 352	Omaha	Nebraska	Scoutmaster		

Special recognition ______

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

8/6/68

Signed ______
Scout Executive

February 17, 1969

Mr. Joseph L. Anglim
Scout Executive
Mid-America Council, No. 326

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Joe:

Thanks very much for your additional letter of February 10 concerning James E. Kalasky of Troop 352.

In the light of the explanation you have given concerning the developments in this situation, I do not believe it would be desireable to pursue the matter further, so let's close the case. Thanks very much.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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519 South 15th Street Omaha, Nebraska 68102 Area Code 402 341-2086
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PERSONAL - CONFIDENTIAL

February 10, 1969

Mr. Howard P. Boyd
Director, Registration and Fulfillment
Boy Scouts of America
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

RE: James B. Kalasky
Troop 352

Dear Howard:

I checked into the "incriminating evidence" reported by the Troop 352 Committee per your request. What actually happened here is that the Committee interviewed boys in the unit and ascertained from these interviews, evidence of perverted sexual activity. The Committee then, as a group, confronted Mr. Kalasky, who broke down and admitted to the Committee group (the same group that signed the letter) that he was a homosexual and did in fact carry on these activities with Scouts in the troop.

The Committee is most vigorous in their desire that there not be any further involvement of the boys of the troop, because of the disturbance it would create. They are most hopeful that their signed statement would suffice. They did not get a signed statement admitting to these things from Mr. Kalasky, and they realize now this was an error. We could have brought that about, but we didn't know of the situation until after all of these steps had been taken.

I am not sure how much further we would want to pursue this and I seek your advice and guidance.

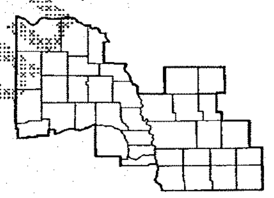
Sincerely,

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February 3, 1969

Mr. Joseph L. Anglim
Scout Executive
Mid-America Council, 326

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Joe:

Thank you for your letter of January 21 and the information you forwarded concerning James E. Kalasky, currently registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 352 in Omaha. We have placed this information in our files and have taken steps to have his name deleted from the Troop roster.

The identification particulars you provided on the record sheet are most complete. However, since the letter signed by the Committee members of Troop 352 indicates they have obtained incriminating evidence to support the charges against Mr. Kalasky, we would be most appreciative if you could forward this information to us. This would be very important in strengthening our position of refusing to accept any future registration we might receive from this individual.

I am sure you realize that this leaves Troop 352 without any registered unit leader. Undoubtedly, someone is taking over in this position. In order for the unit to continue to receive program inserts in Scouting Magazine, it will be necessary to advise this office of the name of the new unit leader. This should be done by filing with us an additional enrollment for this individual in his new postion. Please do not file a separation notice as we have already dropped the current leader.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director
Registration and Fulfillment Service

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CONFIDENTIAL

January 21, 1969

Mr. Howard P. Boyd
Director of Registration
Boy Scouts of America
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

Dear Howard:

Attached please find a recommendation that James E. Kalasky of this Council be placed in the Confidential File. Following disposition of the Registration Service, please acknowledge to me.

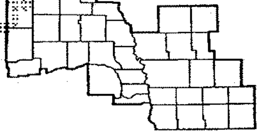
If additional information is required, we would be glad to provide what we can.

Sincerely,

MID-AMERICA COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

JOSEPH L. ANGLIM
Scout Executive

JLA/dc
Attach.



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

January 19, 1969

Joseph L. Anglim
Mid-America Council
Boy Scouts of America

Dear Sir:

Mr. James Kalasky was released as Scoutmaster from Troop 352 because of homosexual acts with at least seven scouts during several campouts. The Troop Committee has obtained incriminating evidence from member scouts. As an act of the Committee, Mr. James Kalasky was confronted with the facts of his acts with the boys on campouts. Mr. James Kalasky then confessed to the members of the Committee as witnessed below that these homosexual acts had taken place.

We wish that you would place this letter in your confidential file.

Witnessed by Committee Members:

Office	Name	Signature
Committee Chairman	[redacted]	[redacted]
Secretary	[redacted]	
Treasurer	[redacted]	
Committeeman	[redacted]	
Committeeman	[redacted]	

Respectively Yours

[redacted]